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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

 Commissioner for Patents
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Commissioner:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Office action dated September 22, 2010 of the Primary Examiner's final action of claims 1-5, 7-12, 14-27, 29-32, 34-37, and 82-87.

X	A Petition for Extension of Time and the fee are submitted herewith.
X	\$540.00 to cover the fee for this appeal is submitted herewith.
	A Small Entity Claim is enclosed.
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 03-1728. Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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